

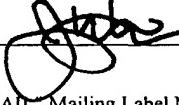
**UTILITY
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Title : METHOD FOR TREATING AN OPTICAL FIBER PREFORM WITH DEUTERIUM			
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2. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specification (preferred arrangement set forth below) - Descriptive title of the Invention - Cross References to Related Applications - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D - Reference to Microfiche Appendix - Background of the Invention - Brief Summary of the Invention - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed) - Detailed Description - Claim(s) - Abstract of the Disclosure	6. <input type="checkbox"/> Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary) a. <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Readable Copy b. <input type="checkbox"/> Paper Copy (identical to computer copy) c. <input type="checkbox"/> Statement verifying identity of above copies
3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. § 113) [Total Sheets <u>7</u>]	7. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
4. Oath or Declaration a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Executed (original or copy) b. <input type="checkbox"/> Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional with Box 16 completed) i. <input type="checkbox"/> <u>DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)</u> Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).	8. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Statement <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney (when there is an assignee)
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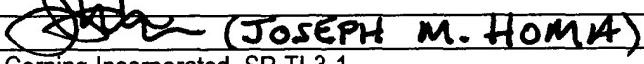
Prior application information: Examiner:

Group / Art Unit:

For **CONTINUATION or DIVISIONAL APPS only**: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
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1001	750	Utility filing fee	750.00
1002	330	Design filing fee	
1003	520	Plant filing fee	
1004	750	Reissue filing fee	
1005	160	Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) **(\$)** **750.00**

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Extra Claims from Claims below	Fee Paid
Total Claims $20 - 20^{**} = x 18 =$	00.00
Independent Claims $1 - 3^{**} = x 84 =$	00.00

Multiple Dependent $0 = 0.00$

**or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see below

Large Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description
	1202	18	Claims in excess of 20
	1201	84	Independent claims in excess of 3
	1203	280	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
	1204	84	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
	1205	18	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) **(\$)** **00.00**

<i>Complete if Known</i>			
Application Number		To Be Assigned	
Filing Date		Herewith	
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Examiner Name		To Be Assigned	
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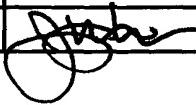
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	1051	130	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
	1052	50	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
	1053	130	Non-English specification	
	1812	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
	1805	1,840	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
	1251	110	Extension for reply within first month	
	1252	410	Extension for reply within second month	
	1253	930	Extension for reply within third month	
	1254	1,450	Extension for reply within fourth month	
	1255	1,970	Extension for reply within fifth month	
	1401	320	Notice of Appeal	
	1402	320	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
	1403	280	Request for oral hearing	
	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
	1452	110	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
	1453	1,300	Petition to revive - unintentional	
	1501	1,300	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
	1502	470	Design issue fee	
	1503	630	Plant issue fee	
	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
	1807	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
	1809	750	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a))	
	1810	750	For each additional invention to be examined (37 C.F.R. § 1.129(b))	
	1801	750	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

SUBTOTAL (3) **(\$)**

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